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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1359.1041
Application Number	09/788,474
Filing Date	February 21, 2001
First Named Inventor	Masatoshi SHIOUCHI et al.
Group Art Unit	2152

AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$570.00	Examiner Name	Patel, Ashokkumar B.
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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	27	- 26 =	1	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 50.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8	- 6 =	2	X \$ 200.00 =	\$ 400.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>July 7, 2005</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):					\$ 120
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 570.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 570.00

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
☐ No payment is enclosed.

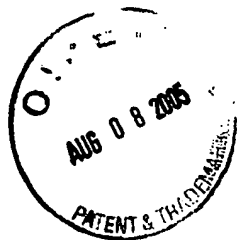
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
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| Deposit Account No. | 19-3935 |
| Deposit Account Name | STAAS & HALSEY LLP |
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	J. Randall Beckers	Reg. No.	30,358
Signature		Date	8/9/5

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2152
Docket No.: 1359.1041

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masatoshi SHIOUCHI et al.

Serial No. 09/788,474

Group Art Unit: 2152

Confirmation No. 6203

Filed: February 21, 2001

Examiner: Patel, Ashokkumar B.

For: VIRTUAL COMMUNICATION CHANNEL AND VIRTUAL PRIVATE COMMUNITY, AND
AGENT COLLABORATION SYSTEM AND AGENT COLLABORATION METHOD FOR
CONTROLLING THE SAME

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 7, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on July 7, 2005.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to August 8, 2005 (August 7, 2005 being on a Sunday).

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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02 FC:1202	50.00 OP
03 FC:1251	120.00 OP